

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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Applicant/Patent Owner: Koninklijke Philips Electronics N.C.	
Application No./Patent No.: Concurrently	Filed/Issue Date: Concurrently
Entitled: Circuit for detecting ground offset of parts of a network	

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(includes Reference to PCT International Applications)

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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **Circuit for detecting ground offset of parts of a network**
the specification of which (check only one item below):

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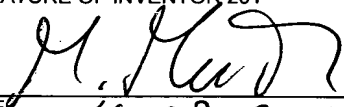
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COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING DAY, MONTH, YEAR	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 USC 119
Germany	102 25 556.3	10 June 2002	YES

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